DECLARATION OF JIAN NI, GUO-LIANG YU, PEDRO ALFONSO, JEFFREY SU AND REINER GENTZ UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.131)

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RECEIPT IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL DEPOSIT ISSUED PURSUANT-TO RULE 7:3
AND VIABILITY STATEMENT ISSUED PURSUANT-TO RULE 10.2

To: (Name and Address of Depositor or Attorney)

Human Genome Sciences Attention: Robert H. Benson 9410 Key West Avenue Rockville. MD 20850

Deposited on Behalf of: Human Genome Sciences

Identification Reference by Depositor:

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The deposits were accompanied by: __ a scientific description _ a proposed taxonomic description _ indicated above.

The deposits were received September 25, 1995 by this International Depository Authority and have been accepted.

- AT YOUR REQUEST:-

X We will inform you of requests for the strains for 30 years.

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If the cultures should die or be destroyed during the effective term of the deposit, it shall be your responsibility to replace them with living cultures of the same.

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The viability of the cultures cited above was tested October 5, 1995. On that date, the cultures were viable.

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